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In re Application of:

Srinivas Venkatram

Examiner: Kelvin E. Booker

Application No: 09/902,284

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

DATED: April 8, 2004

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 8, 2004, hereinafter, "the Office Action." The Office Action set a shortened period for reply of three months from the mailing date of the Office Action. A petition for extension of time is enclosed which makes this response due on or before August 9, 2004, as August 8, 2004 falls on a Sunday.

The Application is believed by Applicant to be in proper condition for allowance.

Accordingly, reconsideration and allowance of all claims are respectfully requested.